



June 1, 2 & 3, 2001

NORTHWEST DIVISION HAM CONVENTION

"The Northwest's Largest Ham Convention"

**Seaside Convention Center
Seaside Oregon**

Convention Schedule

Friday, June 1

Registration 11:00AM-8:00PM
Exhibitor & Flea Market.....11:00AM-9:00PM
(SETUP ONLY)
Friday Antenna Workshop 12:30PM-5:00PM
Riverside Rooms A, B & C
Ladies Hospitality Suite 6:00PM-8:00PM
Convention Center Inn, Room 125

Saturday, June 2

Registration..... 8:00AM-4:30PM
Exhibits & Flea Market.....9:00AM-4:30PM
Snack Bar.....9:00AM-4:30PM
Ladies Hospitality Suite.....9:00AM-5:00PM
Convention Center Inn, Room 125
Kids, Krayons & Kartoons..... 9:00AM-4:30PM
VE Exams (Pre-registered Only).....9:00AM-12:00N
Our Savior's Lutheran Church
Seminars.....9:30AM-5:00PM
YLRL Luncheon & Program..... 11:30AM-1:30PM
Best Western, Oceanview Resort
QCWA Luncheon..... 11:30AM-1:30PM
Best Western, Oceanview Resort
Pre-Banquet Happy Hour.....6:30PM-7:15PM
Banquet..... 7:15PM-9:30PM

Sunday, June 3

Registration..... 8:30AM-12:00N
Exhibits & Flea Market..... 9:00AM-12:00N
Ladies Hospitality Suite..... 9:00AM-12:00N
Convention Center Inn Room 125
Kids, Krayons & Kartoons..... 9:00AM-2:00PM
Seminars..... 9:00AM-12:00N
Snack Bar..... 9:30AM-2:00PM
Grand Awards..... 1:00PM-2:00PM
Convention Closes.....2:00PM

*A Complete Schedule of activities and locations will be available
at the Convention Center on Friday June 1, 2001*

Ladies Programs

"A HANGOUT FOR BORED SPOUSES"

Hospitality Suite - Convention Center Inn Room 125
Complimentary Program

Coffee, Conversation, Puzzles, Treats,
Seminars, Crafts, Book Exchange and Recipe Swap
(Bring a Book - Bring copies and samples
of your favorite recipe if you can)

Exciting Crafts to be demonstrated, make yourself,
or available to purchase.

**FRIDAY 6:00 PM TO 8:00 PM
SATURDAY 9:00 AM TO 5:00 PM
SUNDAY 9:00 AM TO 12:00 NOON**

YLRL LADIES LUNCHEON (ALL LADIES ARE INVITED)

Speaker will be Donna Deyoe, K6DNG.
Marti Brucher, W7AYL, former YLRL President, will also speak
on "Past YLRL Presidents."

Talk-in Frequency 146.660 (-600)

SeaPac Home Page: www.seapac.org

Information Contacts

General Information:	Randy Stimson, KZ7T (503) 641-3776 stemson@teleport.com
Exhibitor Information:	Al Berg, W7SIC (503) 816-7098
Flea Market Information:	Lynn Hurd, WB7UNU (503) 624-1999
Registration Questions	Will Sheffield, N7THL (503) 642-7314 n7thl@juno.com
Lodging Assistance in Seaside:	(888)-306-2326 Web Site: www.seasideor.com
Mailing Address:	SeaPac Ham Convention Post Office Box 219142 Portland, Oregon 97225

Banquet Program

KERRY CHRISTENSEN MASTER YODELER

Kerry Christensen is not your everyday yodeler. While good old Western and Alpine yodeling can be very entertaining, Kerry has taken his particular talent far beyond what we might expect to hear. Have you heard songs like the William Tell Overture or Stars and Stripes in yodel form? Along with abundant yodeling talent, Kerry has mastered the alpenhorn, zither, cowbells and what he calls the "Lip Trumpet". Imagine Harry James with no instrument other than a pair of lips.



Kerry was raised on a potato farm in Idaho. After discovering yodeling while on a trip to Austria in 1976, he brought the music back and practiced 14 hours a day while driving a tractor on his families potato farm. He drove his father crazy and was banished to the garage, but that didn't stop his practicing.

His first yodeling performance was at Brigham Young University in 1977, where he brought 15,000 students to their feet for a standing ovation. His career soared when Disney made him the Disney World Yodeler in the German Pavillion of the Epcot Center in 1984-1990. Since that time Kerry has traveled to many countries to perform, including aboard Caribbean cruise ships and festivals throughout the US.

This is an opportunity to hear a world-class musician with an unusual and delightful specialty. Kerry estimates there are only two other full time yodeling soloists in the US and fewer than ten European yodelers who specialize in the dazzling "bravour" style of yodeling. We are sure you will enjoy Kerry's performance.

Seminars

Always a popular feature at SeaPac, attendees can choose between 25 to 30 seminars on a broad range of subjects from technical to operational. Our workshops provide in-depth study and experience in various topics related to amateur radio. Seminars are presented by knowledgeable hams in an up close personal atmosphere.

Some seminar topics scheduled:

Radio Astronomy for Hams

Packet Radio

Introduction to A.P.R.S.

Amateur Towers, wind loads, etc.

Radio Projects at O.S.U.

A.R.R.L. Forum

RAGS Country Store

Do you have a really neat rig that wants and needs a new home??? RAGS will sponsor a Country Store where your rig can be displayed for sale. This will be on a first-come first-served basis. Remember, your boat anchor may be someone else's dream machine!

To reserve a spot, call or write to:

Gene Mielke, KA7JNU, (541) 386-2041,
3926 Fairview
Hood River OR 97031.

Buying a piece of used equipment?
Check it out **FREE** on our test bench.

ARRL Guest

Our Special Guest this year is ARRL President Jim Haynie, W5JBP. He will say a few words at the Banquet and will be out circulating amongst the Convention goers. He is always looking for feedback.

Friday Antenna Workshop

"PROBLEM SOLVING ON REAL ANTENNAS"

**Presented by
Marshall Johnson, KK7CW**

Friday, 12:30PM-5PM, Riverview rooms A, B & C.

This will be an interactive antenna clinic. Theory will be presented and the participants will then debug a variety of real antennas. Problem solving of antenna designs by the participants will also occur in a hands-on manner.

Attendance limited to 75 registrants. Fee \$10 for pre-registered, \$12 at the door. Cutoff date to pre-register is May 25, 2001
(Workshop price does not include Convention Registration)

VE Testing

Testing will be at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church across from the Convention Center. One session only will be offered at 9:00AM on Saturday, June 2, 2001.

Testing will be by pre-registration only. No walk-ins!

Your registration must be received by May 1, 2001. Get your reservations in early - only the first 50 applicants will be accepted. Confirmation will be sent to participants after May 1, 2001.

Send a completed NCVEC Form 605*, the VE Test Application and a check or money order for \$10.00 made out to **ARRL VEC** to:

Carl Clawson, WS7L
20767 NW Old Pass Road
Hillsboro OR 97124

***Do NOT send FCC form 605!** NCVEC Form 605 is available at <http://www.arrl.org/arrlvec/ncvec605.pdf> or by sending a business-size SASE to WS7L.

Bring with you the original of your license **AND** a photocopy of same, one piece of photo ID (driver's license, etc.), and any CSCE's that apply **AND** a photocopy of each such CSCE.

For additional information call Carl Clawson evenings at (503) 629-5796 or write to ws7l@arrl.net.

Note: Incomplete applications or those using the wrong forms will be returned.

Grand Awards

Need Not Be Present

Yaesu FT 817 HF/VHF/UHF Mobile
Yaesu FT 90R Dual Band Mobile
Alinco 605 TQ Dual Band Mobile
ICOM T 81A Dual Band HT
Kenwood TH 22AT 2meter HT

Must Be Present

Alinco DX 70TH HF/6m Mobile
Kenwood TM V7A Dual Band Mobile
ICOM IC 207 H Dual Band Mobile
Kenwood TH D7A (G) Dual Band HT
AM-COM ClearSpeech Speaker

Early Bird Awards

Registrations postmarked by April 30, 2001 will be eligible for the Early Bird Awards

ICOM 706 MKIIG HF/VHF/UHF Mobile
Alinco DJ V5TD CH Dual Band HT

HOURLY AWARDS

Posted in the lobby and on the stage for 2 hours

Unclaimed awards will be re-issued!

Award models subject to change depending on availability from the manufacturer

Flea Market Table Renters Please Note:

SeaPac Flea Market is a service to those with used ham gear to sell or trade. Table renters with new equipment on their tables may be asked to remove the new equipment if a Commercial (Main Floor Booth) Exhibitor objects. No power is available for tables.

Trailer Parks, Campgrounds and Alternative Housing

A list of facilities is available from the SeaPac Web site www.seapac.org or call Seaside Lodging Info, (888) 306-2326.

RV Parking in Seaside

The City of Seaside does not allow overnight parking on its streets and parking lots and will ticket violators. If all RV Parks in Seaside are full, a special permit may be obtained from the City of Seaside to park in designated lots near the Convention Center. The permit fee is \$12 per night. Only self-contained RV's will be allowed. Details will be available at the Convention Center during SeaPac. Call 800-394-3303 or (503) 738-8585.

VE Test Application

Last Name _____

First Name _____ MI _____

Call _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone (Home) _____

Telephone (Work) _____

Circle all elements you wish to take:

5 wpm Morse Code Exam

Technician Written Exam

General Written Exam

Extra Written Exam

PLEASE ALLOW 4 WEEKS FOR RECEIPT OF TICKETS

NOTE: Flea market Participants must be registered for the convention

REGISTRATION

Make checks payable to "SEA-PAC"

No. _____
Office Use Only

Mail To: SEAPAC, Box 219142, Portland, OR 97225-9142

_____ Friday Workshop Registration at \$10.00... \$ _____
(\$12 at door if space available)

_____ Registrations at \$6.00 ea. (\$8.00 at the door)..... \$ _____

_____ Children 12 and under FREE

_____ Flea Market Tables (No Dealer Sales) \$ _____
(\$15 per table per day or \$25 per table for 2 days)
(NO power available)

_____ Saturday YLRL Lunch at \$14.00 (50 person limit)..... \$ _____

_____ Saturday QCWA Lunch at \$12.00 (50 person limit)..... \$ _____

_____ Saturday Banquet Salmon Dinner at \$20.00..... \$ _____

_____ Saturday Banquet Prime Rib Dinner at \$20.00.... \$ _____

(300 person limit for banquet dinner)

Total.... \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

↓ NICKNAME & CALL SIGN FOR REGISTRATION BADGE ↓
(Please Indicate Children: (C) Please Print)



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The OREGON TUALATIN VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB wishes to thank Clark County ARC, Sunset Empire ARC, RAGS and Hoodview ARC for their assistance and contributions to the convention. We hope everyone will enjoy themselves to the fullest and be a part in making this event a success. We look forward to seeing you in Seaside. If you have any suggestions, please let us know.

Note: The convention sponsors reserve the right to alter the “Convention Schedule”.
All registrants, including convention sponsors, are eligible for awards. Good Luck to All.
Drawing Rules: You need not be present to win Grand Award; no purchase necessary, limit one entry per person (unless pre-registered by April 30, 2001).

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Seaside Convention Center is a No Smoking Facility. ORS 433.839 and 433.875